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## "TRUE UNIFORMITY."

Mine Operators Finally Reach an Agreement.

### NOTHING TO DO WITH THE STRIKE

They Merely Agree to Pay the Same Relative Price For Mining, and Have Affected an Organization Among Themselves, the Miners Being Shut Out From Future Conferences—Strike Situation.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—The "true uniformity" conference of coal operators of the Pittsburg district concluded its work last night at 9:15 o'clock, after a two-day's session of close and persistent work. The 21 sections of the uniformity agreement were thoroughly discussed and adopted section by section. The best feeling prevailed throughout the meetings, the only exception being the bolting of Colonel Rend at Tuesday's session. Just previous to adjournment, however, Judge Owens announced that Colonel Rend had authorized him to state that any agreement the conference adopted would receive his hearty co-operation and he would sign it if 95, 50 or even 20 per cent of the operators were sincere in their sanction of it.

The conference appointed a committee of five—W. P. Dearmit, J. B. Zerbe, J. J. Stoyler, J. C. Dyoart and N. F. Sanford, with General John Little to secure the signature of the operators to the agreement. This committee will begin its work at once. It will be aided by the Ohio board of arbitration. When the requisite number of signatures have been secured, another meeting will be held to ratify the agreement.

Speeches were made by Dearmit, Dempster, Little, Zerbe and others, all expressing satisfaction over the result of the meeting and predicting the success of the plan.

The agreement, as adopted, provides for cash payment of wages, 2,000 pounds to the ton, check weighman on the tipples, miners to be credited with the full quantity of coal contained in the mine car, abolition of company stores, semi-monthly paydays, uniform price for pick mining in the thin and thick vein districts and screens not exceeding one and one-half inches. It also provides that in case of the violation of the provisions and terms of the agreement a penalty of 10 cents per ton on the total output of coal mined by the violator will be charged, which penalty is to be paid to a commission subject to the right of further arbitration or appeal. Said penalty, when collected, is to be distributed among the signers of the agreement pro rata, in proportion to the total amount of tonnage or output made by them during the year.

The commission is to be chosen annually and shall be known by the name of the uniformity commission. It shall be composed of nine members, the thick and thin vein operators having proper representation. The members shall be sworn to faithfully and impartially perform the duties of their office and will be authorized and empowered to enforce the judgments and awards.

It shall also be empowered to subpoena witnesses with the same force and effect as a board of arbitrators duly appointed under the act of assembly of the state of Pennsylvania relating to compulsory arbitration.

The agreement shall not become effective unless it has been signed by 95 per cent of the operators on or before Jan. 1, 1898.

After 90 per cent having signed the agreement, if any 15 operators shall be of the opinion that enough have signed to render it effective, a meeting shall be called in Pittsburg to declare it in force.

The operators, with a few exceptions, want it distinctly understood that the passage of this agreement has nothing to do with the great strike. They wish the miners to disabuse their minds of any such theories.

The operators have also shut out the miners' leaders from taking any part in the conferences that may take place through questions arising between the operators and miners, by inserting a clause in the agreement stating the commission shall be composed of workmen employed by the subscribers. Heretofore the miners' officials have represented the miners, but now the miners are to grapple with the questions in dispute alone.

It was decided that present contracts could not be made the basis for arbitration. Many firms have taken contracts for a stipulated period at a fixed price. It is understood that these shall have the right to supply the product to fill these contracts at the rate of mining on which the contracts are based. Here is where the miners and operators will separate.

### FEELING THEIR WAY.

Ratchford, Gompers and Sovereign Call on Governor Atkinson.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 29.—President Ratchford of the United Mine Workers, President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and Grand Master Workman Sovereign of the Knights of Labor arrived here yesterday evening and immediately called upon Governor Atkinson to get an expression from him as to their rights to speak and hold meetings in West Virginia, and especially to complain of the injunction issued by Judge Mason, prohibiting the organizers to appear or hold meetings on the grounds of any coal company without permission or upon any road leading to the company's property.

Governor Atkinson pointed out to his

visitors that three branches of state government, the executive, the legislative and the judicial, are entirely separate and distinct, one from the other; that he had jurisdiction only in the executive branch, and that the matter of issuing the injunction is purely a matter for the courts or the judicial branch. The governor had not seen an official copy of injunction, but if what he got from the newspapers in regard to it was correct, he believed that the injunction was too sweeping in its provisions. However, he would withhold his opinion upon it till he saw an official copy. He asked his visitors to call again, when he would give them his final answer as to what he would or could do toward giving the relief asked for.

Messrs. Gompers, Ratchford and Sovereign said that they would go ahead at once to organize the state, no matter what may be the governor's answer or the issue in the courts. They would proceed with their speeches until arrested and then fight it out in the courts. Each will return to his headquarters, and begin the work of the labor demonstration in the several states Aug. 5.

### MINERS DISCOURAGED.

The Wheeling Conference Proved a Disappointment to Many.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—The general strike situation is less encouraging from the miners' standpoint than it was a week ago. Breaks in the ranks of the river men and a general feeling of discouragement over the West Virginia situation have combined to quench enthusiasm in a remarkable degree.

One prime factor in bringing back this condition of affairs is thought to be the inaction of the Wheeling convention in devising ways to stop coal shipments from the disputed territory. On all sides the conference was looked upon by the men as presenting a speedy solution of the West Virginia problem and a means of making the tie-up general. The issuance of long resolutions instead was in the nature of a boomerang.

### SIX INDIANS KILLED.

An Express Train Wrecked on the Central Pacific Railroad.

RENO, Nev., July 29.—One of the worst wrecks in the history of the Central Pacific railroad occurred yesterday on Twenty-five Mile hill, six miles west of Reno. The engine was overturned and thrown to one side of the track and the tender on the other and the road was littered with the debris of baggage, express and mail cars reduced to kindling wood. Of 15 Indians who were riding on the blind baggage, six were killed and nearly all the remainder were more or less injured.

Fireman Rawlins was thrown from the engine on his head and sustained considerable injury.

Engineer Irwin was also thrown from his engine but is unhurt, except a slight sprain of his back.

The mail clerks, George W. O'Brien and S. A. Rose, escaped with a few cuts about the head and bruised about the body.

Wells-Fargo express messenger, J. J. Burke, was badly shaken up and bruised.

The wreck was caused probably by spreading of the rails. The mail and express car were turned bottom-side-up, the day coach and one sleeper were thrown at right angles to the track, and the dining car and two Pullman coaches were badly wrecked. Only two cars remained on the track.

The wounded were brought to Reno in a caboose. The track was torn up for 300 yards or more.

### Death of a Philanthropist.

WASHINGTON, Ind., July 29.—Hugh Barr, the philanthropist, aged 81, died yesterday of general debility. He leaves a large estate. The deceased was well known and highly respected in this section and was identified in financial circles throughout the state.

Mr. Barr possessed many sterling qualities and gave liberally to the worthy poor. He donated a large sum of money to aid in the construction of the new Christian church of this city, of which church Mr. Barr was a leading member.

### Determined to Die.

KANSAS CITY, July 29.—Dr. S. D. Porter, president of a local physicians supply company and well known, died yesterday afternoon after having taken separate doses of morphine, strichine and hydrate of chloral and then turned on the gas. He was found in a dying condition in the rear of his place of business. The motive for the suicide is not plain. Porter was well-to-do and apparently lived happily. His wife was a Miss Blandy of Zanesville, O.

### The Flesh Stripped Off.

KOKOMO, Ind., July 29.—Delmar Duncan, eighteen years old, of Ervin township, while assisting in thrashing wheat yesterday afternoon, was kicked by a horse, which threw him against the gearing of the straw-stack. His hand caught and his arm was drawn in to the shoulder stripping the flesh from the bones. There is little likelihood of recovery.

### Stabbing Affray at a Dance.

VINCENNES, Ind., July 29.—At a dance in the lower part of the county last night, Tom Martin and Seth Wagner engaged in an encounter in which Wagner was stabbed several times in the abdomen with a knife, and otherwise badly cut about the face and neck. He is fatally injured. Martin is under arrest and in jail.

### Mighty Mice.

The Hindoos have a proverb to the effect that women fear mice, mice fear men, and men fear women.

## TRAMP TERRORIZED.

Over a Hundred Hobos on Two Freight Trains.

### ONE OF THE NUMBER HELD UP.

Two Dollars in Money, His Coat and Hat Taken From Him—A Young Lady Badly Injured by a Man and His Wife. Mysterious Shooting—Printer Injured. Other Ohio State News.

RAVENNA, O., July 29.—The spectacle of a tramp holding up a tramp was witnessed in this city last night. Two tramps in the Pittsburg and Western depot in some way crossed a crowd of tramps who were waiting for a freight to move. One of the two left his partner in the depot. Before he returned a telephone message called for officers. The one who had remained in the depot had been held up in the absence of his partner. The crowd had relieved him of \$2 in money, and taken the coat from his back and the hat from his head.

Another tramp, a cripple, a short time before reported that a crowd had knocked him down with the butt end of a revolver and gone through his pockets.

Officers Goodenough, Pierce and Judson searched two trains. They found over 100 tramps on the trains; as it was impossible to identify the highwaymen in the dark no arrests were made. No names were taken by the officers.

### INJURIES SERIOUS.

A Young Lady Badly Done Up by a Man and His Wife.

SINKING SPRINGS, O., July 29.—Miss Barbara Holt, the young woman who about two weeks ago was knocked down and had her nose broken by a stone thrown at her by Ralph Smalley and afterward attacked and brutally beaten with a club by Smalley's wife, is in a dangerous condition.

The couple were arrested on the charge of assault with intent to kill but afterward released on bond and are now at the home of a relative. Serious trouble is anticipated should the injuries prove fatal. Attorney Ray Tener of this place is prosecuting the case and it is alleged the Smalleys will be rearrested and taken to jail.

### Tramp Printer Injured.

DEFIANCE, O., July 29.—Herman Spenn, a printer, of St. Catherine's, Canada, had his right foot crushed and his left leg broken while attempting to jump from a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train here. He was stealing a ride. He was thrown in such a manner that the wheels passed over one foot and it may have to be amputated. Spenn is a member of the Knights of Pythias, and is now in the care of the brothers. He is a married man and has a wife and one child in Canada.

### Body Recovered.

BAINBRIDGE, O., July 29.—The body of David, the 9-year-old son of Rev. Lewis of Chillicothe, who was drowned in Paint creek Thursday, was recovered yesterday. He fell in at Rapid Forge while amusing himself by throwing a rope over a log. He was found about three miles from where he was drowned, on a ledge of rocks at the falls. The body was badly decomposed and was taken to Chillicothe for burial by Undertaker Ware, after an inquest by Squire Newell of this city.

### Mysterious Shooting.

STEUBENVILLE, O., July 29.—Considerable mystery surrounds the shooting of Miss Mollie Horner, a domestic at her home on Sixth street at an early hour yesterday morning. Miss Horner had gone out in the yard, and while there either shot herself or was shot by persons in the yard to attempt robbery. Her dress was scorched so close was the revolver held to her body. Miss Horner will not tell of seeing any person in the yard.

### Attorney Attempts Suicide.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., July 29.—During a temporary fit of melancholy caused by jealousy, Attorney T. J. Abernethy attempted suicide by taking a big dose of morphine. He still lingers. It is said the act was caused by jealousy over a young woman.

### Became Exhausted.

AKRON, O., July 29.—Orbin Suikhorn, aged 21, a well known Munroe Falls boy, was drowned while bathing in the Cuyahoga river there yesterday. He had been long in the water and was exhausted.

### Runaway Accident.

RAVENNA, O., July 29.—During a runaway Bert Hoover and Peter Cope were thrown from their carriage. Hoover hit a tree and was knocked unconscious. He sustained dangerous injuries.

### Injured by a Vicious Horse.

BALTIMORE, O., July 29.—A vicious horse jumped upon and trampled nearly to death Jesse Snider, a son of Rev. A. Snider, while he was in the animal's stall currying him.

### Caught in the Shafting.

BELLEVILLE, O., July 29.—Wilbur Bayer was caught in the shafting at the Gretna creamery and frightfully injured.

VEEDERSBURG, Ind., July 29.—Yesterday, at Attica, William Sharp's livery stable was burned, with four horses. Loss, \$1,500.

LIFE SAVED BY GENERAL LEE. Young Fernandez Will Not Be Executed by Spanish Soldiers.

NEW YORK, July 29.—A dispatch to The Herald from Key West says: Manuel Fernandez, the young American who was tried by court-martial in the jail in Havana, charged with bearing arms against the Spanish government and adjudged guilty, has been sentenced by the tribunal to imprisonment for life at hard labor. At the close of the trial the government prosecutor asked that sentence of death be imposed, but the court recommended life imprisonment.

The sentence has been referred to Madrid for approval. It is believed that the mitigation of the sentence of young Fernandez is due entirely to the great interest taken by Consul General Lee in the case and the strong plea made personally by him to Captain General Weyler.

Fernandez, whose father is a Spaniard, but a naturalized American citizen and a resident of this city, was scarcely 18 years old when he joined a filibustering expedition and went to Cuba two years ago. A few days after landing the expedition was overtaken by a company of Spanish troops under Colonel Ochoa, and Fernandez, with several companions, became separated from the main body of the filibusters and was captured near Juraco, taken to Havana and has since been confined in Cabanas fortress.

One of his companions captured at the same time was Charles Govin, who was summarily put to death on his statement that he was a newspaper correspondent and an American citizen. Govin's tragic death was witnessed by Fernandez, and it is reported that the most compromising evidence against Spanish officials now on file in the state department was furnished by him.

### Tobacco in the Logs.

HAVANA, July 29.—An examination by customhouse officials of eight of the consignment of 155 logs which reached here on Sunday last on the steamer Segurana, and which were deposited in the custody of the police at the Talaipiedra wharf, show them to have been packed with fine Sumatra leaf tobacco. If the remainder of the logs contain an amount of tobacco proportionate to that found in those already examined it is estimated that the total shipment of tobacco will reach 4,000 kilos. The logs, it is said, were shipped by a Maine lumber company.

### TACKLING THE TRIBESMEN.

British Troops Evidently Have Serious Work Ahead of Them.

LONDON, July 29.—A dispatch from Simla says that the government is taking all steps necessary to cope with the emergency in the Chitral. Although Fort Chakdara, now cut off, occupied an isolated position, it is believed that with two companies of the Thirty-first Punjab infantry and two guns the garrison can hold its own. The road between Mardan and Malakand is blocked with hostile tribesmen who have cut telegraph wires.

Three squadrons of Bengal lancers and the Second Punjab infantry regiment have started for Mardan. The Seventh Mountain battery is on the way to Malakand and the West Kent regiment is held in readiness at Peshawar. The Simla dispatch also says that Captain Holland of the Twenty-fourth Punjab infantry was among those seriously wounded during Monday night's attack on Camp Malakand.

A dispatch from Bombay says that Gangadhar Tilak, a native member of the legislative council, was arrested last evening on the charge of inciting the natives to disaffection. He was formally arraigned in the Bombay police court, after which the hearing was adjourned. Gangadhar Tilak has for along time agitated indiscriminately against British rule. Of late he has been more than usually virulent. He is a thorough fanatic, opposed to European ideas and innovations, and he has been a leader in the recent outbreaks against the sanitary regulations. Whether he is a man of talent.

### Coming Back to Ohio.

PARIS, July 29.—George Henry Williamson, the wealthy American who died here, after a residence of half a century in France, came from Cincinnati. By his will he left his entire fortune to his two daughters by a French woman named Murie Grandchamps. The French courts having dismissed the claims of the French claimants, the mother of the two girls, who says Williamson was a citizen of Ohio, proposes to return to that state as soon as her health will permit. She says her two daughters are legitimate.

### Warning to Excessive Smokers.

ELGIN, Ills., July 29.—The asylum authorities report a case here of a patient who is turning black. He is an epileptic confined in the infirmary, and was formerly a florist engaged in business at Spring and Franklin streets, Elgin. His name is Henry Schlaack, and the immediate cause of his epilepsy is supposed to have been the excessive smoking of strong tobacco.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., July 29.—Leon Siebenthal, a 15-year-old boy, was drowned in Stephenson's pond, three miles east of this city while bathing. He was a brother of Professor C. E. Siebenthal of the State University.

### Sultans Giving In.

LONDON, July 29.—A special dispatch from Athens says that the sultans have instructed Tewfik Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces in Thessaly, to sign the peace preliminaries on Saturday next.

## WILL IGNORE JAPAN.

Nothing More to Be Said on the Subject of Annexation.

### BUT TWO COUNTRIES INTERESTED

This Government Considers That the Approval of No Other Government Is Necessary to the Completion of Annexation. Japan's Attitude Is of a Serious Nature. Trying to Interest Foreign Powers.

# A CHINE OILS AND PURE PARIS GREEN AT CHENOWETH'S.

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### DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

[*Election, Tuesday, November 2nd, 1897.*]

For Clerk of the Court of Appeals,  
S. J. SHACKLEFORD.

For Circuit Judge,  
JAMES P. HARBESON.

For Commonwealth's Attorney—Mr.  
James H. Sallee.

For Representative,  
JAMES E. CAHILL.

For Circuit Clerk,  
ISAAC WOODWARD.

For County Judge,  
CHARLES L. WOOD.

For County Clerk,  
CLARENCE L. WOOD.

For County Attorney,  
FRANK P. O'DONNELL.

For Sheriff,  
SAMUEL P. PERRINE.

For Superintendent of Schools,  
G. W. BLATTERMAN.

For Jailer,  
I. L. MCILVAIN.

For Coroner,  
JOSEPH D. WOOD.

For Assessor,  
C. BURGESS TAYLOR.

For Surveyor,  
OLIVER HÖRD.

For Justice of the Peace.

First District—Wm. B. Grant.  
Second District—John J. Perrine.  
Third District—John J. Thompson.  
Fourth District—John J. Thompson.  
Fifth District—  
Sixth District—Wm. H. Rice.  
Seventh District—John Ryan.  
Eighth District—M. D. Farrow.  
For Constable,  
First District—S. D. McDowell.  
Second District—  
Third District—J. G. Osborne.  
Fourth District—W. L. Woodward.  
Fifth District—Robert W. Alexander.  
Sixth District—Wm. Tugge.  
Seventh District—  
Eighth District—Gas L. Tolle.

INDICATIONS.—*Fair, warmer weather; light southwesterly winds.*

MR. GEORGE W. OLDHAM of the Sunday Morning Call is formally announced as a candidate for City Assessor. That he is well qualified for the position will be admitted on every hand, and he would make a faithful and efficient official if honored with the position.

SENATOR SHERMAN speaks rather contemptuously of Mr. McKinley's currency message. When he was asked if he had read McKinley's currency message, he said: "I did, and I must say that I am not surprised that it failed to secure action. I was quite positive that, after the tariff bill was signed, Congress would adjourn without touching either the currency question or the annexation treaty with Hawaii."

### PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Stanley Lee is visiting at Iron-ton.

—Mrs. Alice Payne has returned from a visit at Ewing.

—Miss Kate Clare, of Bedford, Ind., is visiting Mrs. John Altmyer.

—Mrs. Michael Kenney and daughter Agnes are visiting at Blue Licks.

—Mrs. E. C. Leonard and little daughter are visiting relatives at Covington.

—Miss Anna Alexander and mother are visiting friends at Manchester and Farns.

—Mrs. John C. Lovel and daughter, Miss Irma, are visiting Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, of Ripley.

—Mrs. Jacob Wormald, of the West End, is visiting her father, Mr. Gus Sullivan, of Mt. Sterling.

—Mrs. Mary Slack, of Forest avenue, returned last evening from a visit at Millersburg and Sharpsburg.

—Miss Lettie Purnell has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Frank Smith, of Covington.

—Mrs. J. W. Foxworthy, Mrs. B. W. Goodman and Mr. W. W. Lamar have gone to Glen Springs to remain some time.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ball have gone to Cincinnati, with Masters Winslow and Eddie, to give them an outing at the La- goon to-day.

—Rev. J. E. Wright, formerly pastor of the M. E. Church, South, was in Maysville Wednesday en route to the Mt. Olivet camp meeting.

—Editor Drennan, of the Vancburg Sun, attended the Republican convention Wednesday and was a welcome visitor at the BULLETIN office during the day.

—Colonel Hamilton Hunter, of Louisville, is here on a visit to Mr. Collins Blatterman and sister. He is a son of Mr. N. D. Hunter, an old Maysville merchant who left here in the early fifties, and a nephew of Mr. Charles Herbst, the noted librarian of Macon, Georgia.

—Dr. Charles W. Aitken and wife, Mr. B. S. Grannis and wife, Mr. W. H. Fischer and wife, all of Flemingsburg, and Mrs. Ben Longnecker and daughters, Misses Julia and Lizzie, of Mayslick, were in town this morning, en route home from their trip to San Francisco, where they attended the recent international Christian Endeavor convention.

## DEARING AND DAUM.

Compose the Ticket Put Up by the Republican District Convention.

The Former For Circuit Judge and Latter For Commonwealth's Attorney—Mr. Dearing's So Thankful.

The Republican Judicial district convention Wednesday was well attended. The convention was called to order promptly at 2 o'clock by Chairman Clarence Mathews, of the district executive committee, who in a few pointed remarks announced the object of the meeting.

On motion of Mr. Sam T. Hickman, Editor Thomas A. Davis was unanimously chosen temporary Secretary.

Mr. Mathews stated the election of a temporary Chairman was next in order, and Mr. W. B. Pugh, of Vanceburg, proceeded to get off a lengthy speech in which he assured the convention that Lewis County "would throw no obstacle" in the way of the ticket that might be nominated. He closed by nominating Captain H. C. Weaver, of Brooksville, for temporary Chairman. Mr. Weaver was unanimously elected, and was escorted to the chair.

The Republican editors present were made assistant Secretaries.

Chairman Weaver, who had evidently overlooked the fact that a permanent organization had not been effected, stated that nominations were in order for Circuit Judge.

Mr. Pugh suggested that no Committee on Credentials had yet been named, and moved that the appointment of such committee be dispensed with. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sam T. Hickman, the temporary organization was made permanent, and things were further straightened out by the appointment of a Committee on Resolutions, consisting of one from each county, as follows: Hon. John P. McCartney, of Fleming, Squire Thomas Forman, of Mason, Mr. H. C. Yates, of Bracken, Hon. S. G. Hillis, of Lewis, and Mr. Frank Bennett, of Greenup.

The committee retired, and then, in response to calls, Lieutenant Governor Worthington addressed the convention. He soon got the convention in good humor by singing the praises of the g. o. p. It was an old song, and the Colonel sings it well. He didn't forget, however, to throw out some slurs for the "silverites,"—"blatherskites" they some times call them," added the Colonel, which "brought down the house," of course.

Col. Worthington next proceeded to flatter the Gold Democrats in glowing terms, picturing them as the "only real thing," and closed by presenting the name of one of them,—W. G. Dearing, of Fleming,—for Circuit Judge.

There were no other nominations, and Mr. Dearing received the nomination by acclamation.

On motion of Judge Wadsworth, County Attorney Ed. Daum, of Bracken, was unanimously nominated for Commonwealth's Attorney.

The Committee on Resolutions presented its report, which was adopted. The resolutions simply indorsed the last National platform.

Mr. Pugh, Lieutenant Governor Worthington and Judge Wadsworth were then appointed a committee to escort the nominees before the convention.

Mr. Dearing and Mr. Daum accepted their honors, with hearts full of gratitude. Mr. Dearing even went so far as to say "no General ever felt prouder of his victory" than he did of this nomination at the hands of his erstwhile enemies. He was so rejoiced to know his flop last fall had not ended his political days that he was almost too full for utterance, and he was so thankful to the Republicans for reaching out and snatching him from that political oblivion into which he evidently thought he had dropped. He didn't say so in so many words, but that was the gist of his remarks. Mr. Dearing told how last fall, when the change came over his political dreams, he offered to resign the office the Democrats of Fleming had given him, but they actually refused to allow him to resign, as they thought his very valuable services would be sorely needed by the county in some then approaching litigation. And then he had gone forth to battle for Major McKinley, and the battle was so intense and the feeling against him so bitter that it had almost "destroyed the health of his family." He told that along towards the close of the campaign everytime the doorbell rang at his home his family had expected a message from him, but like the letter "it never came." He conveyed the impression that his family had lived in awful suspense, fearing he would at most any moment fall into the hands of the "anarchists" he and the other goldbugs talked so much about. He closed by saying he had been baptised in "water, fire and blood," and was now so closely attached to the Republicans that

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THE Lexington Herald has a wide field, which it is taking advantage of and pushing its circulation throughout all the Blue Grass. It is the only daily morning paper published in Central Kentucky, and by the fact of Lexington's being a railroad center, with trains going in every direction early in the morning, it can cover a large area before any of its rivals can reach its territory. It is crisp, bright, newsworthy. Suspicion points to Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge as the writer of many of its editorials which have made the Herald so much talked about, though his name does not appear as one of its editors, and the rule of the management is not to let the writers of the editorials be known.

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they couldn't get away from him. Mr. D. evidently realizes that his political salvation is now in the hands of the Republicans and that if they don't save him he will be eternally lost. Yea, verily.

In response to calls, Hon. John P. McCartney now finished the speech he was making when the candidates interrupted him, and the convention then adjourned, without day.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Pickett & Respes, successors to Duley & Baldwin.

THE cloudless sky this morning enabled a person to get a fine view of the partial eclipse of the sun.

LIFE insurance policies bought and sold by T. J. Willison, 47 Blymyer Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

THE tax rate at Ripley this year is \$3.25 on the \$100. At Aberdeen it is still higher—\$4.30 on the \$100.

CHAS. CALVERT, of Fleming County, was adjudged of unsound mind Monday and taken to the asylum at Lexington.

I AM now selling Perfection flour made from new wheat. It never was better and has no equal. R. B. LOVEL.

Does it ever pay to buy any cheap stuff in the jewelry line? You know it doesn't. Ballenger carries no "trashy" jewelry. His stock is the best to be had. Goods warranted.

JOHN H. GRIFFITH, aged twenty-four, and Miss Eliza Warren, aged twenty-two, of Fleming County, were married in the parlors at Diener House Wednesday, by Judge Hutchins.

MR. A. M. MCPHAIL, advance agent of Robinson & Franklin's Show, was here Wednesday, making arrangements for the appearance of this circus and menagerie in Maysville sometime next month or early in September.

SANFORD MASON LIMERICK died a few days ago in the Sixth ward, after an illness of four weeks, of dropsy. He was in the eightieth year of his age, and was the father of twelve children, seven of whom survive him. Deceased was the father of the late James Limerick.

WHEN you see Murphy, the jeweler's stock of "diamonds" and "gold watches," you will be convinced that he carries the "largest" stock. When you learn his prices you will be convinced that his prices are "lower." He never "misrepresents goods." All are "warranted."

A CORRESPONDENT of the Danville Advocate says: "Every year I hear of caterpillars destroying whole orchards and there is nothing to dispose of more easily. I bore a hole deep enough to reach the sap, fill it with sulphur, and then plug it up. The result is magical. The sap takes up the sulphur to every branch and twig, and caterpillar at once dies. I have never known of a tree injured by it, and I have pursued the course for years."

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THE Lexington Herald has a wide field, which it is taking advantage of and pushing its circulation throughout all the Blue Grass. It is the only daily morning paper published in Central Kentucky, and by the fact of Lexington's being a railroad center, with trains going in every direction early in the morning, it can cover a large area before any of its rivals can reach its territory. It is crisp, bright, newsworthy. Suspicion points to Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge as the writer of many of its editorials which have made the Herald so much talked about, though his name does not appear as one of its editors, and the rule of the management is not to let the writers of the editorials be known.

Friday's Cash Sale! ▶

Money's Saved When Spent at Hunt's.

CARPET manufacturers' samples of strictly all Wool Ingrain, some pieces one yard, others one and one-quarter yards in length. These samples can be nicely put together and used for bed-room floors, giving you a carpet for 25c. a yard that would cost in a regular way 50c., 55c. or 60c. For the price of a common rag carpet you can buy the best quality Ingrain, unfading and long-wearing. The different patterns, with one color predominating, when sewed together, produce a very unique but also artistic effect. These Mosaic Carpets have been used some time in the larger cities and have given universal satisfaction. A made-up carpet will be on exhibition at the store Friday, twenty-five yards of best quality, all wool, 60c. Lowell Ingrain, \$6.25. But whether you want twenty-five yards or one the price is no more, 25c. This is a bargain worth investigating. Don't miss it.

SEWING SILK.—Richardson's, Belding's and Corticelli's best quality, 100 yard spools, black, white and colors, 5c. a spool, always sold at 10c. A once-in-a-life-time chance. Don't pass it by. Autumn dress-making isn't far distant, and sewing silk is an every-day need.

D. HUNT & SON.

TEACHERS:: WANTED.

Over 4,000 vacancies—several times as many vacancies as members. Must have more members. Seven plans: two plans give free registration: one plan GUARANTEES positions. Ten cents pays for book containing plans and a \$500 love story of college days. No charge to employers for recommending teachers.

REV. DR. O. M. SUTTON, A. M., Pres. and Manager.

SOUTHERN TEACHERS' BUREAU, S. W. Corner Main and Third streets, Louisville, Ky.

Northwestern vacancies Chicago office, Southern vacancies Louisville office. One fee registers in both cases.

### CHAINLESS

The Bicycle of the Future Will Be—Description of the New Wheel.

[Times-Star.]

Will the chainless bicycle be the wheel of the future? asks the Sporting Life, and then answers its own inquiry by averring that for many months the question has engaged the attention of the manufacturer and interested the rider.

The very fact that half a dozen manufacturers have been for some time experimenting with chainless bicycles would seem to augur that the day of that style of machine is not far distant.

The machine has been made that at least ten of the largest bicycle manufacturers in the United States will place chainless wheels on the market next year, and that one company, whose headquarters are in New York City, has arranged for the manufacture of at least 10,000 wheels of this type, to be ready for early shipment in 1898. The same gentleman is authority for the statement that the standard price of chainless wheels will be \$100.

The point in which the new machine will differ from the style now in vogue will be in the substitution of what is known as the bevel gear for the chain gear. This gear is entirely inclosed in the lower framework of the bicycle, being operated by a revolving shaft through what is technically known as the right back fork leg. The advantages claimed for this device are that there is no lost motion in the transmission of power to the driving wheel, and fully one-third less friction. Consequently the same amount of leg power would drive the chainless wheel faster than the chain wheel, the gears being equal.

It is confidently believed by advocates of the chainless bicycle that when racing wheels fitted with bevel gears are used on the track, there will be another wholesale smashing of records, such as followed the introduction of the pneumatic tire. Racing men will be enabled to use higher gears, their momentum will carry them a much longer way than at present, once they get into their stride.

The strength and durability of the new type of bicycle are attested by the fact that a sample wheel manufactured last year by a New York firm has been ridden more than 8,000 miles, over all kinds of roads, and after this continuous test has been examined by expert mechanics and found to show no perceptible wear.

Similar satisfactory tests are reported to have been made by other manufacturing

# DELAYED

IN TRANSIT

One case (2,500 yards) thirty-two-inch fine ORGANDIES. They should have been here fully a week ago. But then the price,

## Five and One-Half Cents

a yard, will move them quick. Bright new styles and fully worth 12 1-2c. Compare them with what other stores ask 12 1-2 to 15 cents a yard.

## THE BEE HIVE,

ROSENTHAL BROS., PROPS.,

Kings of Low Prices.

### KENTUCKY CROPS.

Too Much Rain in Some Sections—Weekly Bulletin of the Weather Bureau on the Outlook.

[For Week Ending July 26.]

Too much rain is the cause for complaint among farmers in certain parts of the State, as the result of the general conditions of the past week. This complaint comes chiefly from correspondents in the Central and Eastern sections. The average amount of rainfall for the State for the week was 1.44 inches, which is largely in excess of the normal. At the following points the actual amount reported exceeded two inches: Bardstown, Bowling Green, Earlington, Ebanks, Maysville and Shelbyville. In certain localities excessive rains have interfered with farm work, delayed threshing and haying, and caused weed growth that is very embarrassing to the farmer.

Showers occurred generally over the State on the 19th and 20th, and again on the 24th and 25th. During the intervening days warm, sunshiny weather prevailed. Friday was the only day with excessive heat, the temperature on the other days being practically equal to the normal. Sunshine is now needed in nearly all parts of the State, and warm weather would not be detrimental: but if a period of drought should now set in it would seriously damage the corn and tobacco crops in many parts of the State. In last week's bulletin it was stated that in the counties west of Crittenden and Trigg excessive moisture was the source of complaint, while drought existed in the district bounded on the north by Meade, Breckinridge and Hancock counties and on the south by Franklin, Allen and Barren. In this latter section showers have occurred very generally, Hancock and adjoining counties being the only locality where drought was not amply relieved. Rain has also fallen in those extreme northern counties that had been dry for nearly six weeks previous. Generally speaking, precipitation has been well distributed throughout the State in the past seven days.

Western Section.—All reports concerning the wheat crop are favorable both as to quality and yield. Except where too frequent rains have interfered wheat threshing is about completed. The threshing of oats is well under way. The straw is very short, but the head is well filled. Corn has revived "wonderfully" in the droughty district since the recent rains. Generally speaking, however, the crop is uneven, and will not average more than three-fourths the usual yield. More rain is needed on the hill top. In certain low lands where rain has been heavy and the temperature seasonable, or warmer, "both corn and tobacco have become foul, and a spell of dry weather would seriously damage them," says a correspondent in Marshall County. Out of about 150 reports it is an exceptional thing to find one that says "tobacco is good," or words of similar import. "Tobacco is no good" is a more frequent remark. In Hancock County "it is running to bloom and

spreading, a condition from which it seldom recovers." Worms have become numerous, though owing to the plants being unusually small they are easily caught. The extent of damage by worms is not so great as that due to unusual climatic conditions. The general growth is irregular and indifferent. No topping has been done yet. Hay is nearly all cut. Pastures are splendid. Irish potatoes are very poor.

Central Section.—Rains have been heavy throughout this section generally. In certain counties serious damage is resulting from frequent and soaking rains. There are also localities in scattered parts where only showers have occurred for several weeks, and a soaking rain would improve crops generally. Where rain has been exceptionally heavy there is complaint of wheat sprouting in the shock. Threshing is progressing as rapidly as the weather will permit. Oats are being cut with generally satisfactory results. Corn is growing nicely and is an excellent crop, as a rule. It is somewhat uneven in growth. Though four weeks behind in planting, it is now near its seasonal stage in some districts. Plowing is about all done. The chinch bug is disappearing. From the southern counties come reports that tobacco is flourishing, and worms are numerous and hard to combat. The general crop is uneven and poor. The plants are very small. There is a good crop of timothy hay, which is being harvested. The second crop of clover is excellent. Hemp is looking well. Sorghum is a small crop. Pastures are fine. Irish potatoes are a poor crop. Blackberries are more plentiful than for years past.

Eastern Section.—In this section also rainfall has been excessive generally. In northern counties crops have revived, and for the first time in a month or more the reports are encouraging in tone. In some counties where local rains have been exceptionally heavy corn looks well, but the weeds are thick and farmers are unable to control them. Reports concerning the corn crop are favorable as a rule. Tobacco is improved and is generally better in this than in the other sections, though still not up to the average crop. Wheat threshing is progressing rapidly as the weather permits. It is a good crop. The same may be said of oats, though the straw is short. Pastures are in fine condition. Berries are abundant. Gardens have been backward, and are now greatly improved. Irish potatoes are only fair. Cabbage worms are very destructive. There is a small supply of seasonable fruits.

G. J. O'CONNOR, Observer, Louisville.

Horses Wanted.

Mr. Joe Kindig, of York, Pa., will be at Mose Daulton & Bro.'s stable, Maysville, Ky., on Tuesday, August 3rd, 1897, and will pay the highest market prices for good, sound horses or mares from four to six years old, well broken and in good health. Bring in good ones and get the money for them. Don't forget the date.

Mr. J. M. SIDWELL, who has been very low with typhoid fever for some two weeks at his home in Fleming, is improving.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Dawson, a son.

BORN, July 28th, to Prof. Hayes Thomas and wife, a daughter.

C. E. SAPP was appointed Collector of the Louisville district Wednesday.

EDITOR SAM. J. ROBERTS, of the Lexington Leader, was appointed Collector of this district Wednesday.

THE Western Union has adjusted its troubles with the Ripley Council and will continue its office at that point.

FRANK EITEL was appointed overseer of road running from the Ricketts home on Lawrence Creek to the John Morton farm.

CHARLES CUMMINGS was tried Wednesday before 'Squire Howe on charge of unlawfully carrying away the property of another. The evidence was in Cummings' favor and he was acquitted.

## We Must Make Room.

In anticipation of a big Fall trade and realizing that goods pertaining to our lines will advance (a great many have already) we bought early and largely. We are already beginning to receive shipments; moreover,

### IT WILL NOT BE LONG BEFORE OUR GREAT LINE OF MEN'S SHOES WILL COME IN

so you see we must make room. Now if you will look in our windows and see the line of Suits we are offering at \$10 you will assist us in making room. All of our fancy Cheviot Suits in checks, plaids and stripes—Suits that we sold at \$18, \$16.50 and \$15—go in this sale. No house in the State ever did or ever will offer a line of Suits like these for the price,

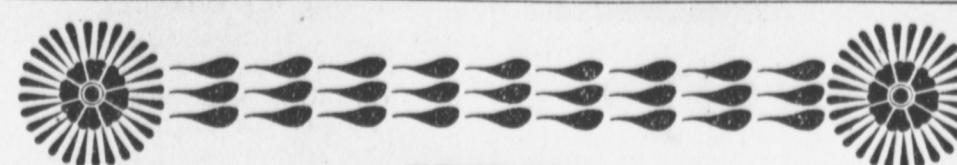
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It is the greatest sacrifice sale we ever made, but as our patrons will be benefitted and it secures us room and money, we will only be too glad to have you take advantage of this sale. We have no room to quote prices on more medium grades, but the entire stock will be sold at proportionate prices. Please bear this in mind:

### NO SUIT WILL BE SENT OUT ON APPROVAL AND NO SUIT WILL BE CHARGED--ONLY CASH WILL BUY THE GOODS DURING THIS GREAT SALE.

Money, however, will be cheerfully returned if goods don't suit upon home examination.

HECHINGER & CO.,



.....NEW.....

## PERCALES

Polka Dots, Checks and Roman Stripes.

The latest goods for Shirt Waists. Also a new lot of thirty-six-inch Linen for Dress Skirts, sold early in the season for 35 cents a yard, now 25 cents.

If you need another Lawn Dress or Shirt Waist don't fail to see the Lawns and Organdies we are offering at 5, 10, 15c. We have just received a big invoice of Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, and are showing some decided bargains at 5, 10, 15 and 25 cents.

## BROWNING & CO.



## Ladies'

 Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00. \* \* \* \* \*

F. B. RANSON & CO.

### FATALLY BURNED

Was Samuel Piles, the Two-Year-Old Son of Mr. and Mrs. William Piles, Tuesday.

Samuel Piles, aged two years and one month, the bright little son of Mr. and Mrs. William Piles, was fatally burned Tuesday at the home of the family on the Lexington pike, just south of the North Fork bridge.

The little fellow was playing in the yard where the servant had been doing some washing when the clothing caught fire. Before assistance could reach him he was terribly burned. He lingered until 7 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Brief services were conducted at the home this morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. F. M. Tinder, after which the remains were taken to Elizaville where Rev. Dr. Seudder conducts the funeral at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Burial at Elizaville.

### Suit for Big Land Tract.

CATLETTSBURG, Ky., July 27.—The Big Sandy Coal Company, composed in part of ex-Attorney General Jack Hendrick and John C. C. Mayo, the Paintsville boomer, is seeking to set aside the recent sale of thirty-eight thousand acres, made by the Pike Circuit Court, to the Drovers' and Mechanics' National Bank and others, of Baltimore.

FIRE INSURANCE.—J. C. Everett.

FOR a full line of pure drugs call at Ray's Postoffice Drug Store.

MR. R. W. McCLELLAND, of Mt. Sterling, is here buying wheat.

CHARLES MARTIN was appointed postmaster at Bridgeville, near Germantown, Wednesday.

THE big fair of 1897 will be held at Ripley, Ohio, August 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th, 1897.

MR. J. P. NASH and family move to Lexington this week, where he will open a barber shop at the corner of Short and Mill streets.

THE Louisville and Nashville earned gross the third week of July \$397,675, against \$363,120 for the corresponding week of last year. Increase \$34,555. For the three weeks of July an increase of \$54,555 is shown in the gross earnings.

A NEWPORT man has invented an automatic compressed air contrivance which is operated by an approaching train. It is claimed that the approaching train generates and pipes sufficient air to close gates and work the signal lights. When the train has passed the crossing the gates are opened and the safety light shows up.

## PARK THEATRE

### ALL THIS WEEK.

SEEKER & WILKES—Lew and Ada. MILLE, FELICE. MISS VYNNE ADAIR. NELSON and WILSON. LAURENCE RUSSELL. HICHESTER, Dancing Wonder. JAMES MURRAY. \*\*\*

Change of Program Nightly!

W. H. FREMONT, Manager. FRANK WILSON, Stage Manager. JAMES MURRAY, Musical Director.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S.

## Chocolate High Shoes

### J. HENRY PECOR.

River News.

Rising again at headwaters.

Keystone State for Pittsburg and Stanley for Pomeroy to-night. Down: Sherry.

Local Inspectors Dameson and Fearn have suspended the license for thirty days of Gustav A. Cramer, engineer of the ferryboat Welcome at Augusta. The charge was drinking while on duty. A license was granted to Geo. Turner, who secures Cramer's job.

The Little Dick, of the W. W. O'Neil Coal Company, holds the record among the pool boats at Pittsburg for amount of coal brought down. During the six months ending July 1st, she brought 3,016,000 bushels out of the pools, in addition to 400,000 of fourth pool coal brought as far as Glenwood.

Captain Abner Gould, of the towboat Raymond Horner, was tried by the steamboat inspectors at Wheeling for interfering with Pilot John Dippold, and has had his master's and pilot's license suspended for sixty days. Capt. Gould was commander of the boat. He ordered Dippold to run on a slow bell. Dippold retorted that it would not be necessary if the tow was properly hitched up. Hot words and a fight followed in which Capt. Gould was knocked out. Capt. Gould could have taken the wheel or sent Dippold ashore, but the inspectors declared he was not justified in entering the pilot house as he did.

**Stop That**

coughing. The quickest and surest way is to take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. A guaranteed cough remedy, wholly unlike all others—better acts directly on the mucous membranes, heals the lungs and respiratory organs and invigorates the whole system.

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At all druggists, or sent upon receipt of price by

**E. E. Sutherland**  
Medicine Co., Paducah, Ky.  
"Granny" Metcalf.

For sale by THOMAS J. CHENOWETH, Druggist.

ABERDEEN, OHIO.

Miss Elma Ennis is on the sick list. Mrs. Lizzie Cheeseman has been quite ill for the last two weeks.

Mrs. Jerry Huron's daughter, Lillie, of Slickaway, is very sick.

Our swiftest bicycle riders are Misses Edith Hilli and Nellie Sibbald.

The heavy rain of Sunday night came very near washing the town away.

Mr. John Fleming was visiting Miss Irene Cooper, of Slickaway, Sunday.

Bethelhem had an immense crowd Sunday in attendance at the quarterly meeting.

Mrs. Ella Morris and daughter, Myrtle, of Portmouth, O., are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Charles Wiles, who has been visiting her parents of this place, returned to her home in Ripley.

Prof. Bowman's floating showboat, "Sweet Marie," gave two entertainments last week, both well attended.

A marriage to take place in the near future is that of Mrs. Emma Martin and Mr. Tyre Martin, of Ripley.

A Manchester gentleman was visiting Aberdeen last week looking for a desirable place to purchase, to start a fruit and flower nursery.

**A Great Book Free!**

When Dr. R. V. Pierge, of Buffalo, N. Y., published the first edition of his great work, *The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser*, he announced that after 60,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, \$1.00 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labor and money expended in producing it, he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail it to him, at above address, twenty-one (21) one-cent stamp to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent postpaid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1008 pages, profusely illustrated. The free edition is precisely the same as that sold at \$1.50 except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send now before all are given away.

**Philadelphia and Return \$15.50.**

On account of the national meeting of the League of American Wheelmen at Philadelphia, August 4th to 7th, the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets, Maysville to Philadelphia, at one fare \$15.50. Tickets on sale August 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Limit of tickets August 9th.

**Old People.**

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at J. James Wood's drug store.

If you want to make money, write to L. H. Williams, Secretary, Ripley, Ohio, fair, and buy a privilege. Fair to be held August 24th to 27th, 1897.

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**TAKING NO CHANCES.**  
The Canadian Government Determined to Get Its Share Out of Klondyke.

OTTAWA, July 29.—At the close of the second sitting of the cabinet last evening it was announced that the government had decided to impose royalty on all placer diggings on the Yukon in addition to \$15 registration fee and \$100 annual assessment. The royalty will be 10 per cent on claims with an output of \$500 or less monthly and 20 per cent on every claim yielding above that amount yearly.

Besides this royalty, it has been decided in regard to all future claims staked out on other streams or rivers that every alternate claim should be the property of the government and should be reserved for public purposes and sold or worked by the government for the benefit of the revenue of the Dominion.

**Useless to Go to Alaska.**

LONDON, July 29.—The colonial office has warned intending gold seekers that it will be useless to start for the Klondyke before spring, as the journey is possible only in summer time.

**BENZINE BLAZE.**

One Man Burned to Death and Three Others Badly Scorched.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., July 29.—One man, William Bauman, was burned to a crisp, and three others were scorched and overcome by smoke and the fumes of ignited benzine in a fire that started after 11 o'clock yesterday morning in the huge frame warehouse of the Michigan City Sash and Door company. Besides the human life and injuries the fire licked up practically a whole square of buildings, including the factory, where it started, and four dwelling houses and their contents. Three other dwellings were partly destroyed. The total loss will reach \$70,000, with about \$50,000 insurance.

Louis Schwartz, Fred Peters and Herman Luckow were the three men seriously injured, but all of them will probably recover.

The four houses completely destroyed were occupied by Mrs. Steiger, Mr. Aufer, Mr. Brown and Mr. Sheldon.

The local volunteer fire department was wholly unable to cope with the blaze.

**Cheap Bread.**

ELWOOD, Ind., July 29.—Bread which has sold in this city the past three years for three cents a loaf, has again been reduced in price to two cents, or three loaves for five cents.

**Boy Fearfully Stung.**

LANCASTER, Ky., July 29.—Bumble bee stung Laha, the 12-year-old son of H. Nishimus, almost to death yesterday. He received over a hundred stings. He may not recover.

**BASE BALL.**

**Standing of the Different Clubs in the National League.**

The following is the standing of the clubs in the National League:

Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Boston .....	54	.692
Cincinnati .....	49	.653
Baltimore .....	49	.653
New York .....	45	.592
Cleveland .....	43	.558
Philadelphia .....	40	.487
Pittsburg .....	35	.454
Chicago .....	36	.444
Brooklyn .....	34	.436
Louisville .....	35	.427
Washington .....	29	.382
St. Louis .....	19	.288

**Yesterday's Games.**

AT ST. LOUIS—R. H. E.  
St. Louis ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 ..... 1 5 4  
Boston ..... 0 0 0 3 0 2 0 0 3 ..... 8 1 3  
Batteries—Friend and Kittredge; Ehret and Peitz. Umpire—McFarland.

AT WASHINGTON—R. H. E.  
Washington ..... 0 1 2 0 1 2 0 0 1 ..... 7 12 12  
Baltimore ..... 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 2 7—14 13 1  
Batteries—McJames and McGuire; Pond, Nops and Clark. Umpire—McDonald.

AT CLEVELAND—R. H. E.  
Cleveland ..... 1 3 5 0 0 1 0 4 \*—14 15 2  
New York ..... 7 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 8—16 1  
Batteries—Young and Zimmer; Seymour, Meekin and Warner. Umpire—O'Day.

AT LOUISVILLE—R. H. E.  
Louisville ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2 9 4  
Brooklyn ..... 0 0 2 2 0 1 0 0 7—12 14 1  
Batteries—Frazer and Wilson; Fisher and Grim. Umpire—Hurst.

AT PITTSBURG—R. H. E.  
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 3—5 10 3  
Philadelphia ..... 1 4 2 1 2 1 0 1 1—13 18 2  
Batteries—Hughey and Merritt; Flifeld and McFarland. Umpire—Emslie.

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Pittsburg ..... 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 ..... 3 9 5  
Philadelphia ..... 1 4 2 1 2 1 0 1 1—13 18 2  
Batteries—Hughey and Merritt; Flifeld and Boyle. Umpire—Emslie.

**Fire From a Peculiar Cause.**

OLEAN, N. Y., July 29.—The stroke of a hammer upon a nail caused a \$40,000 fire yesterday and 11 men narrowly escaped being burned to death. The men were new roofing a 35,000-barrel oil tank, which was filled with crude oil, when it was discovered that the oil had ignited from a spark caused above stated.

**Records Not Lowered.**

MEDFORD, Mass., July 29.—Neither Robert J. (2:01 1-2) nor John R. Gentry (2:00 1-2), the famous pacers, was able to lower his record at Combination park yesterday afternoon. The best that Gentry could do was 2:07 flat, while Robert J. was slower, 2:08 1-2.

**Same Age as Queen Victoria.**

BRAZIL, Ind., July 29.—Mrs. Tolson, a highly esteemed old woman, died last night, at her home in Knightsville. She was born the same night that Queen Victoria was ushered into the world, and on property adjoining that of the queen.

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